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TUESDAY, MAY 28, 1912.

HERESY IN BABY-RAISING.

Now comes the Chicago health department with the startling information that the old-fashioned method of taking care of babies is cruel and often fatal. Then follows a lot of rules for the raising of the newfashioned baby.

After reading the bulletin the wonder is how any of those who joined in its promulgation over survived beyond the teething period. The main trouble with the new-fashioned baby, so far as we are able to judge, is the lack of old-fashioned mothers.

Let's quit worrying about posterity and give a little more concern to our ancestry.

THE FARMER AS BORROWER.

Be it far from us to attempt to belittle the investigation now under way by foreign representatives of our State Department to ascertain how the American farmer may borrow money of banks on equal terms with the industrial, railroad, and municipal corporations. It is said the investigation is centering about the Credit Foncier of France and the Landschaften of Germany.

May we suggest that out West the farmer has solved the problem by owning the banks, loaning his money to big corporations and spending his winters in Florida or California. Might not some depositions be taken in Kansas or Indiana, where farmers own more automobiles than are owned in New York city?

NEW YORK'S PROVINCIALISM.

It has frequently been pointed out that the most provincial settlement in this country is the city of New York. Let a man stop and look up at the sky couraged that most pernicious of evils, street gadding, and a crowd will gather big enough to block traffic. practiced at first merely in order to display clothes The confidence man finds it his most fertile field.

Here in Washington it is a most commonplace occurrence to see the President of the United States ing the streets. strolling up Connecticut avenue, threading his way time. On the other hand, look at the so-called me- parades. tropolis. Mr. Taft couldn't take a little walk up Fifth avenue without attracting a crowd of a thousand people. He had to take refuge in a private residence. No wonder the zoo is one of New York's most popular institutions.

On this decision the Senator is entitled to unqualified congratulation. It is an act of real patriotism. It is a distinct and obvious service to the ployes' wages, protection for the employer or extencountry.

be retired just as fast as the people can get at them. protects our industries. They are just exactly the sort of Senators who

ought to be retired. If Lorimer should now resign, and save them from the necessity of voting, some of them might save their precious skins.

patriotic service in staying by the ship till it goes pretty theory, but it doesn't work out. down-with all these on board.

MR. BUSCH'S SUNKEN GARDEN.

. (1.) When that esthetic brewmaster, Mr. A. Busch, grew weary of blowing the foam off his cup of happiness in St. Louis, he went out to Pasadena, and like Tobit in the field of Ardath, sat down among the flowers. He expended the price of many brewigs on the construction of a sunken garden. The limbs among the moonflowers and oleanders gave a the Department of Agriculture is under investigation

for plentitude. Pasadena was proud of the fact that Mr. Busch's the employ of the Department of Agriculture. sunken garden ranked with those hanging gardens of Babylon which made Nebuchadnezzar famous even upon the Department of Agriculture, the most charibefore he attracted attention as a grazer. Mr. Busch was proud of his garden, too, and, like his But mistakes in that department have become a Babylonian prototype, he is a kingly sort of person habit. The department does not seem to profit by in the community where he has his laundry done.

be a good thing to strangle the Rum Demon and ment is impaired, the laws are nullified, and the peooutlaw the commodity by which Mr. Busch had at- ple get the nub end of it. tained to eminence, he remarked, loud enough to Monica. It was a cruel alternative with which to nation ever lost by making efforts to be clean.

confront the lady voters, so newly endowed with the toga virilis, so to speak. To be caught between Beelzebub and the boundless deep was as nothing to being hemmed in between the Rum Demon and the sunken garden. On the one hand the call of estheticism, the purr of the pussywillows, the bridelike beauty of the orange blossoms. On the other hand the abiding presence of the rum-sucker, the blighting grist of the gin mill. It was a fearful ordeal for a delicately nurtured electorate.

Perhaps slander has been at work with the fair fame of the lady voters. Unless their ballot were distinguishable by some feminine touch, such as a whiff of frangapani, for example, it is hard to see why they should be charged with having wielded the balance of power. Such, at least, is the charge and, at all events, the sunken garden will remain, and so will the beer garden. Ill-natured people will before at one time. Arriving at 10 seek to draw political lessons from this feminine weakness at the polls, but the larger charity of the world will see in it but the woman's kindred affection O'Nelli, Frederic Warde, Montgomery for her sisters, the lily and the rose.

A MOTHER'S PROBLEM.

Alarmed over the extravagance that marks the dressing of high school girls, sixty of Cincinnati's socially prominent matrons have started a reform in which they themselves will set an example of simplicity and modesty in dress.

May their numbers increase and their example be followed in other communities. The overdressing of school girls, their growing habit to imitate the extreme styles used by their elders, has led to many

First of all, and deplorable in itself, it has robbed the American nation of the girl, in the literal sense of that word. We now have children and young women. There is no intermediate step between the short, fluffy, knee-length dress and the party gown. The nursery and the first beau are next door to each other. The maiden "standing with reluctant feet" is a memory-almost a myth.

Then, too, the extremes to which girls of the school age have been permitted to go in dressing has bred class distinctions, snobs, shoddy aristocracy, and kept many a parent on the treadmill in order that the girl might not appear at a disadvantage among her schoolmates.

It has been a large factor in diminishing the number of girls who do not finish their high school education. They simply cannot afford to dress as other girls do, and they will not suffer the humiliation of appearing at a disadvantage. So pronounced is this evil that in many places school authorities have prescribed regulation gowns for graduation days.

Moreover, and worst of all, it has perverted the minds of girls. It has given them a misconception of what constitutes a woman and womanhood. Fine or flashy clothes rather than a fine mind and modest manners is their idea of being popular. It has enand attract attention. You never see a girl plainly dressed, as becomes girls in their early teens, trapes-

The society women of Cincinnati have set about among the shoppers in the business district or mak- to correct an evil for which women are largely to ing friends with the children at play in Lafayette blame, and they have set about to correct it in the Park. Occasionally somebody who hasn't lived here quickest and most effective manner. A dozen such very long will turn round to glance at him a second examples is worth more than a hundred suffragette

THE ULTIMATE CONSUMER AGAIN.

Owing to the recent concessions granted the miners it is announced that the public this summer An unsuccessful attempt was made early today by three young white men to break into the building at 906 Penngranted the usual summer discount. If the demands sylvania avenue northwest. Policeman Senator Lorimer announces that he will not re
sign. He proposes to stick, and to see his friends

and enemies stand up for the count.

The whole theory that we can allow some part of society a special privilege—be it increase in emsions and improvements in public service corpora-There are something over forty Senators who tions—and make the particular beneficiary pay the will vote to keep Lorimer in his seat. If they are cost is falling to pieces. We have even progressed to brought to the scratch and forced to vote, they will where we know the consumer pays the tariff that

All reforms, improvements and special privileges find their reason in the claim they benefit society. If so, then society must pay for them. Making improvements, legalizing special privilege, rais-Therefore, the Senator is doing a noble and ing wages and then charging it to the other fellow is

> Senator Lodge may think the ultimate consumer is a myth, but the billing clerk knows that he is the only really substantial institution in the country. The fact that he foots all bills is being impressed upon him with new force each day-and this alone makes the greatest conservative force in the nation.

WHY THE BEEF PROBE HURTS.

It is very significant as circumstantial evidence dryads and hamadryads who hid their shy Pentelican that at the very time the meat inspection bureau of realistic hint of Eden before the fall. Exotic creep- tion, 26,000 pounds of "embalmed beef" intended realistic hint of Eden before the fall. Exotic creeption, 26,000 pounds of "embalmed beef" intended Knights of Columbus, 8 p. m.
for the marines sailing for Cuba, should have been marble fountains. The orchid was as the chick weed condemned by the special navy inspectors after it marble fountains. The orchid was as the chick weed condemned by the special navy inspectors after it had passed inspection of the Federal inspectors in

In this case, like many others that have reflected Presentation of "As You Like It," by table construction is that somebody made a mistake. them and improve. And the lamentable thing is they So when the suggestion came up that it would always happen so that the efficiency of the depart-

It is not Congressional investigations of the be heard by the newly enfranchised feminine voters, meat inspection bureau that hurts foreign trade. It that if the seltzer ceased to gurgle and the Busch- is the persistent cropping out of such things as the auser ceased to flow he would close up his sunken refusal of packing house products by naval inspecgarden. He was not quite certain whether he would tors upon the ground that it is "filthy and diseased" feed it to horned cattle or move it with him to Santa that hurts foreign trade. No person, institution, or

Arrive for One Presentation of Lambs' Gambol.

There are more famous theatrical stars in Washington today than ever o'clock this morning, with scores of others of little less prominence, were David Warfield, Robert Mantell, James and Stone, Raymond Hitchcock, Robert Edeson, Wilton Lackaye, Dustin Farnum, Eddie Foy, Jefferson de Angelis, Thomas A. Wise, Digby Bell, Nat Wills, Macklyn Arbuckle, Frank McIntyre, Augustus Thomas, Andrew Mack, and over a score of others.

These are all members of the Lambs' Club, and will appear at the gambol n the National Theater this afternoon, in the most remarkable program of comedy, tragedy, minstrelsy, and music

comedy, tragedy, ministreisy, and music ever presented in Washington.

The Lambs came on their special train from New York at 10 o'clock this morning. Fifty carriages and half a dozen "Seeing Washington" automobiles were in readiness to transport them to the National Theater, where at 11:30 o'clock the street parade started, in which all of the members of the company participated.

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The parade was headed by Victor Herbert and his band of fifty musicians and the route was from the National Theater down Pennsylvania avenue to Seventh street, thence to F street, to Fourteenth street, to New York avenue, to Fifteenth street, to Pennsylvania avenue, to the National Theater.

After the matinee the Lambs will hurder. avenue, to the National Theater.

After the matinee the Lambs will hurry to the station and proceed on their special train to Baltimore, where a performance will be given this evening.

Washington is one of nine cities in which the All-Star Gambol will be presented. It is the second city to be visited by this aggregation. The gambol had its initial presentation in the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, last night, where it broke all attendance records. During the week nine cities will be visited by the Lambs, and the proceeds of the trip will be used for an addition to the Lambs clubhouse, in New York.

BOURNE ASKS AID FOR ELECTIONS PLAN

Progressive Leader Urges Friends of Direct Voting Amendment to Get Busy.

Senator Bourne of Oregon, as president of the National Progressive Re publican League, today issued a warning to the progressives to inaugurate a campaign for ratification of the proular, direct election of Senators.

"The battle for the amendment is no won by passage of the resolution by both houses of Congress, submitting it to the States." said Senator Bourne today. "It is highly important that in city. every State candidates for the legislature be pledged to vote and work for teen States can defeat it. Thirty-six must ratify it. Georgia's legislature meets this fall and those of many other States next January. It is sincerely hoped national conventions of both parties will adopt a strong plank urg-ing ratification of the amendment."

Thieves Surprised.

What's on the Program in. Washington Today

following Masonic organizations The following Masonic organizations will meet tonight: Lodges—Federal, No. 1, F. A.; Acacia, No. 18, M. M.; Takoma, No. 29, F. C. Royal Arch Chapters—Mt. Horeb, No. 7, mark; Potomac, No. 8, business. Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite—Robert de Bruce Council, Knights of Kodash, business. Eastern Star Chapters—Electa, No. 2; Bethlehem, No. 7. The following I. O. O. F. organizations will meet tonight: Lodges—Washington, No. 6; degree work; Golden Rule, No. 21, and Amity, No. 27, business. Encampment—Fred D. Stuart, No. 7, degree work. degree work. 'he following Knights of Pythias degree work.

The following Knights of Pythias lodges will meet tonight: Webster, No. 7; Excelsior, No. 14; Germania, No. 18; Capital, No. 24; Myrtle, No. 25. Meeting of Brightwood Tent, No. 5, K. O. T. M., Maccabee Hall, Georgia avenue and Longfellow street northwest tonight.

west, tonight.
The following Red Men organizations will meet tonight: Osceola Tribe, No. The following Red Men organizations will meet tonight: Osceola Tribe, No. 19, Masonio Hall, Tenleytown; Idaho Tribe, No. 15, Northeast Temple, Tweifth and H streets northeast; Seitese Tribe, No. 16, Paperhangers; Hall, Seventh and G streets northwest; Wanets Council, No. 6, Fifth and G streets northwest. west; Waneta Council, No. wand G streets northwest.

Mass meeting of the women of Park View, to organize an auxiliary to the Park View Citizens' Association,

Park View Citizens' Association Whitney Avenue Christian Church Park road near Georgia avenue, Meeting of Washington Council, No. 224,

leigh.

Annual rose show of the Brookland
Citizens' Association, Masonic Temple,
Brookland.

lege, 4 p. m. salks on "Birds and Their Songs," by Henry Oldys, reading room for the blind, Library of Congress, 2 p. m. Amusements.

National-Aborn Opera Company, in "Harsel and Gretel" and "Cavalleria "Harsel and Gretel" and "Cavalleria Rusticar a," 8:15 p. m. Poli's—Poli Players in "The Fortune Hunter, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m. Columbia—Columbia Players in "Wild

Hunter, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
Columbia—Columbia Players in "Wild Fire." 8:15 p. m.
Belasco—Butterfield Players in "The Hypocrites," 8:15 p. m.
Gfen Echo Park—Amusements for all.
Admission free.
Casino—Elite vaudeville.
Majestic—Family vaudeville, 1 to 11 p. m.
Cosmos—Refined vaudeville, 1 to 11 p. m.
Arcade—Bowling, motion pictures, and other attractions.
Young Buffalo's Wild West, Fifteenth and H streets northeast, 2 and 8 p. m.
Gentry Bros. Show, Sixteenth and U streets northwest, 2 and 8 p. m.

Julia Murdock Sees "The Hypocrites" And Decries Broadness of the Lines

Beveral things are suggested in 'The Hypocrites," which is this week's offering of the Butterfield Players at the Belasco Theater. Henry Arthur Jones wrote the piece, and in it he propounds several unanswerable questions. It is a play that concerns itself with 'the several way and the several will it be possible to say more. play that concerns itself with "the Imitates Mrs. Fiske. Nation's Particular Stars eternal triangle," introduces eugenice among other problems, and discusses without blushes things that nice people do not discuss, except in the bosom of their families. As a matter of fact, it should not have been a play at all; for even in its most hopeful moments it is

is decidedly not worth the love of any Significant Line nice girl. I am sorry to admit that On the Program, one of the girls had loved not too wisely but too well, and she bounds sobbingly into the play in the middle of the first act, after everything had been nicely and conveniently arranged that the young man should marry the other girl -the girl with plenty of money and

social prestige. Of course, the young man has no doubt that he can manage somehow to squirm out of his liasion with girl No. I, and that he can blind the eyes of girl No. 2 to his true character and his many lapses from virtue. His parents, nice, amiable people, assist him in this effort, though they preach morality and high living continually and persistently. This is the story of the play, in which for the first time last night, the new leading man of the Butterfield Players, Franklin Ritchle, was seen in the part of the Rev. Edwarf Linnell, curate of Weypury. In this role he doled out any number of cheerful thoughts on weighty subjects, throughout the four acts of the play. I like his stage presence, and I dare say from the sample of his work last night, he is an excellent actor. However, that remains to be seen. Last evening he only preached, but his enunciation is clear, his stage

RAG EDITOR OF THE TIMES.

Cracked Granite Playgrounds.

It may be too late to go any good

at some schools, but The Times can

CHARLES EDWARDS.

Protesting Against Coarse

see that no more coarsely cracked

granite play yards are made in this

Granite in the Playgrounds.

I understand there is an association

formed between the parents and teach-

ers of public schools. Can not this asso-

clation take up the fight for decent

playgrounds and prevent any more being fixed with coarse granite? Thompson is a fine building, the teachers the best in the city. The fault lies in the District of Columbia officer who builds the grounds. I un-derstand the Board of Education pro-

derstand the Board of Education pro-tested against this method, but no notice was taken. Can't The Timer help get proper play yards? A PARENT.

Has a Plan for Enabling Strangers

in Washington to Become Ac-

Washington is the camping ground for

people from every part of the earth. Thousands are called here for Govern-

ment service; they come as strangers and frequently eke out a lonely exist-ance and live and die like exiles with-

out making friends. People come here to visit and frequently cut their visits short because they don't know any-body. Girls, in their desperation, pick

body. Girls, in their desperation, pick up acquaintances on the streets. Now, to end all this, I propose to open a Mutual Friendship Club. All who join will be of the highest type of manhood and womanhood--strangers will be welcome and meet refined people, indulge in music, games, dancing, and reading periodicals. Who is in favor of this move? It would attract visitors to the city and be more pleasant for the strangers now within our gates.

KATHLEEN LA VARRA, P. O. Box 2414.

ARMY.

Lieut, Col. FREDERICK S. FOLTZ,

the General Staff Corps, First Lieut. FRANK P. STONE, dental surgeon, from Fort Barrancas, Fla.

NAVY.

leutenant Commander J. P. MORTON.

to Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md. utenant Commander WILBERT SMITH, to naval training station,

North Chicago, Ill.

deutenant A. S. WADSWORTH, detached Montgemery, to Naval War College, summer conference.

deutenant LUCIAN MINOR, detached

Lieutenant G. A. BEALL, to Naval War

College, summer conference. Lieutenant (junior grade) H. F. GLOV-

ER, detached Montgomery, to Naval War College, summer conference. Isign JOHN BORLAND, detached Michigan, to connection fitting out and on board Fanning when commis-

Utah, to three months' leave, rgeon ALLEN STUART, detached naval disciplinary barracks, Port Royal, S. C., to navy recruiting sta-

Surgeon H. A. DUNN, detached Utah;

to Solace.

Passed Assistant Surgeon W. L. MANN,

C. A. SCHIPFER, detached

Chester, to Ohio,

tion, Atlanta, Ga.

cavalry, is detailed as a member of

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Miss Marbury as Mrs. Wilmore, imi-tates Mrs. Fiske to such an extent that

should not have been a play at all; for even in its most hopeful moments it is merely a sermon, preached with living examples, to be sure, which helps to lighten it somewhat, but a sermon nevertheless.

It is a play that in which people of that unclassifiel English social stratum that lies between the upper class and the great middle class, drink tea continually, and talk endlessly through four acts, whereas the story might have been told better and more satisfactorily in one.

Two Girls Love

The Same Man.

A highly nervous girl, and an ultrahysterical one, love the same man, who is decidedly not worth the love of any

Readers of The Times are invited to use this department as their

ewn-to write freely and frankly with the assurance that no letter

not objectionable in language will be denied publication. Letters must

not, however exceed 250 words in length, and must be written only

on one side of the paper. Letters must bear the names and addresses

of the writers as evidence of good faith, but the names will not be

made public without the consent of the contributors. Address MAIL

A line upon the program of the Be lasco reads: "The policy of this comworks of the best authors, worthy, entertaining plays, well acted and with every detail of scenic investiture com-

Of the worth of "The Hypocrites" blush to speak. Perhaps I am old-fashloned, but such matters as those talked about and persistently discussed in the play were not mentioned when I was

play were not mentioned when I was young.

Times have changed, however, since then, and possibly discussion of this character is agreeable to some. However, I should not take a sixteen-year boarding school miss to see "The Hypocrites," even though it does preach a sermon. In spite of our boasted liberality of education and freedom of speech, there are some things that are better left unsaid.

The play is beautifully staged, and the action takes place in the little village of Weybury, three of the acts being laid in the residence of the Wilmores, and the fourth in the home of the Rev. Edgar Linnell.

JULIA MURDOCK.

cating drinks or speaks in its favor

is a wolf in sheep's clothes, and well in

his heart he knows it. He also is re-

sellers, or he would dare not say a

word in its favor, truly knowing the

torture, hell and torment it is creating

in this world. How much better it

would be for this man of the Gospel to

keep this sinful opinion and ruinous in-

fluence of his to himself instead of pub-

lishing it in the papers, so that the veak-minded could not be influenced by lishing it in the part to be influenced by veak-minded could not be influenced by veak-minded could not be influenced by veak-minded drink exposes itseif. How well a man in the pulpit exposes himself when he defends booze and rum sellers.

WILL CARSON.

Thinks a Theodore Would Be a God-

Our people are again called upon to

look after the troubles in Cuba. This

s cur second attempt in assisting the

officials of that country to maintain

It has been demonstrated time

jr., to Naval Disciplinary Barracks, Port Royal, S. C. issed Assistant Surgeon W. G. STEADMAN, jr., detached Kansas

STEADMAN, jr., detached Kansas; to Mississippi.

Passed Assistant Surgeon G. C. RHOADES, detached South Carolina; to Ohto.

Passed Assistant Surgeon C. E. STRITE, detached Vermont; to New Jersey.

Passed Assistant Surgeon I, F. COHN, detached Michigan; to Washington.

Passed Assistant Surgeon B. F. JENNESS. detached Navy Recruiting

NESS, detached Navy Recruiting Station, Atlanta, Ga.; to Utah. ssistant Civil Engineer D. G. COPE-

LAND, detached Rensselaer Poly-technic Institute, Troy, N. Y.; to navy yard, Philadelphia, Pa.

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS.

rrived-Solace at New York Yard, Petrel at Rosedale, Marietta at Ho-boken, Yankton at Norfolk, Paducah,

send to Cuba. To the Editor of THE TIMES:

ARMY AND NAVY ORDERS

STATE WINS POINT In the Mail Bag 🚜 IN DARROW TRIAL

McNamara Case Evidence To Be Admitted Over Protest Of Defense.

TO RUN CAR COSTS

CAPITAL MAN \$2.95

E. Donnelly Fined Mini-

mum Amount by Rock-

ville Justice.

ROCKVILLE, Md., May 28.-His fail-

re to have a certificate with him show-

ing that he had obtained a Maryland

license to operate an automobile when

he was "held up" by W. A. Brooke,

Montgomery county's automobile depu-

It was the minimum fine that could

be imposed, Justice Mace's leniency

being due to a representation by Mr.

Donnelly that he had been made to

understand by a deputy automobile commissioner that such a license was

not re quired. The maximum fine in

such a case is \$500, so Mr. Donnelly considers that he got off easy.

William Thomas Allen, aged twenty-two, and Miss Mary H. Collins, aged nineteen, both of Washington, were

married in Rockville yesterday by the

Rev. S. R. White, of the Baptist Church, as were Rembrandt P. Morris, aged twenty-five, of Covington, Pa., and Miss Belva Lockwood Vance, of Knightstown, Ind., the home of the minister being the scene of both ceremonics.

John Hodge, colored, visited a festivity given by the colored people of Olney district a few evenings ago, and while under the influence of liquor used a knife with painful results to no less than four persons—Isaac Lincoln, Carrie Lincoln, James Thomas, and Samuel

Pumphrey—none, however, being dan-gerously cut. Hodge faced four charges of assault in the police court here yes-terday, and he pleaded guilty in all four cases. Fines and costs aggregat-ing \$52 were imposed.

Frederick A. Koch, aged twenty-one, of Richmond, Va., and Miss Margaret May Garrett, aged twenty, of Bagby, Va., were married in Rockville by Rev. Samuel R. White, of the Baptist Church, at the home of the minister.

ty, near Rockville, Sunday afternoon cost J. E. Donnelly, of Washington, \$2.35

in the police court here,

LOS ANGELES, May 28.-After a biter controversy between District Atorney Fredericks and counsel for the defease in the Darrow bribery trial, Judge Hutton issued a citation for con-Another Protest Against | Southwest Washington and with utter tempt against Robert Foster, chief dedisgust we read the opinion of a man tective for the National Erectors' Aswho is supposed to teach the word of sociation, based upon allegations made God and then for this to uphold the sellin affidavits signed by Earl Rogers, ing of beer, whisky, and all other in-Hotace Appel, Harry Dehm, and H. G. Glesler, attorneys for Darrow. toxicating drinks. Any priest or minister who encourages the sale of intoxi-

Foster s to appear this morning, at which time other witnesses will be heard in regard to a published inter-view in which he alleged he declared he got evidence against Darrow by means of the distagraph. Foster being under subsequent to the issuance of the ci-tation, Judge Hutton gave his formal ruling concerning the admissibility of testimony connected with the bribery of testimony connected with the bribery of jurors and witnesses. His ruling gives a sweeping victory to the prosecution, as he decided that testimony and evidence relating to any bribery connected with the J. B. McNamara case is admissible in this trial. This gives the State all its has asked for.
Under the ruling, Captain Fredericks will introduce a vast amount of corroborative material which the defense had hoped to keep out.

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The court denies the motion to strike out an answer made by Witness George Lockwood, to the effect that Bert Franklin had told him that one jurer was already bribed.

BRIDE NEAR DEATH officials of that country to maintain order and protect our citizens residing there. It costs us a good deal in money and human lives to be doing this protection business so often, and then we have no guarantee but that we will be compelled to do this right along—again and again. Why not "adopt" the island and its people, so that any expenditures that may be required to keep down disternances will be in the nature of money spent in our own family of possessions. ON TAKING POISON

Mrs. Myrtle Geigle Swallows Acid After Misunderstanding With Husband.

it has been demonstrated time and again, and no one knows it better than the folks here, that the Cuhan people are not capable of governing them-Suffering from carbolic acid poisoning, Mrs. Myrtle Geigle, the eighteenare not capable of governing themselves, and all experiments along these
lines are useless expenditures of time,
money, and the lives of our soldiers. A
weak government is continually in
danger of being overthrown. A strong
man, who possesses the confidence of
the masses should be at the head of
every country. A weakling never has
proved a success at the bead of any year-old bride of Morris Geigle, an express company employe, is in a serious condition today in the Casualty Hospital.

Mrs. Geigle swallowed the poison last night at her home, 1011 Third street Says Ministry Should Not Uphold
Liquer Traffic.

To the Editor of THE TIMES:
I and several of my friends were reading in your valuable paper the opinions of several people on the saloons in the several of the saloons in the saloons in the several of the saloons in the saloons northeast. The couple had a misunderstanding over moving into a flat selected by the husband. Geigle told the doctors at the hospital that he had leased the flat without consulting his wife, and when he informed her what he had when he informed her what he had done she got a bottle of carbolic acid and swallowed the contents. About the same time that Mrs. Geigle took the poison Charles Sawyer, twen-ty-four years old, of 2215 P street north-

ty-four years old, of 235 P street north-west, drank some iodine in the park opposite Casualty Hospital. After he had taken the poison Sawyer decided that perhaps he wasn't quite ready to die. He walked to the hospital, told the doctors what he had done, and had the iodine pumped out of his stomach. He will leave the hospital today.

Rockefeller to Take Stand This Afternoon

NEW YORK, May 28.—When the Missouri suit, brought on behalf of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, to prevent the Standard Oil from securing control of it was resumed here today, Samuel Untermyer, attorney for the Waters-Pierce interests, announced that he would call John D. Rockefeller to the stand this afternoon. The morning session was devoted to the further examination of Secretary White, of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, who gave further details of the hunt for proxies for the men Rockefeller wanted proxies for the men Rockefeller wanted to elect directors of the Waters-Pierce Company.

Dies Suddenly.

boken, Yankton at Norfolk, Paducah, Prairie, at Guantanamo, Louisiana, Kansas, New Hampshire, South Carolina, Drayton, McCall, Paulding, Roe, Terry, at Hampton Roads, Maryland at San Diego. Sailed—Washington from Hampton Roads for Key West, Patuxent from Norfolk for Key West, Whipple, Huil, Preble, Perry, Stewart, from San Diego for Mare Island, via Santa Barbara, Nashville from Guantanamo for Nipe Bay, Foote from Newberne, N. C., for Charleston. Stricken with heart disease while in the basement of the Southern railway building, Thirteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest, this morning. vania avenue northwest, this morning. Frank Palmer, colored cook on the private ear of A. P. Thom, general counsel for the company, died just after reaching the Emergency Hospital. Palmer was sixty years old, and lived in Missouri avenue northwest.